

Media Information



Columbus Division of Police

Date: July 20, 2020

Major Crimes Bureau / Felony Assault Unit

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Type of Offense/Incident: Felony Assault / Shooting

Date: 7/20/2020

Time: 1:42 PM

Location of Offense/Incident: 5580 Leigh Run Court

Zone: 3

Precinct: 10

Incident Report #: 200535894

Cruiser District: 104

Victim: Mouad Bennaceur

Sex: M

Race: O

Age: 19

Victim:

Sex:

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Victim:

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Suspect:

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Incident Summary: On July 20, 2020 at approximately 1:42 p.m., Columbus Police Patrol officers were dispatched to 5580 Leigh Run Court on a shooting. Upon the officers arrival they located the victim, Mouad Bennaceur, suffering from multiple gunshot wounds all over his body. Mr. Bennaceur was transported to Grant Hospital in critical condition and later upgraded to stable condition. Due to the severity of Mr. Bennaceur's injuries he was unable to be interviewed by investigative detectives.

Witnesses interviewed at scene stated a silver vehicle pulled into the parking lot in front of 5580 Leigh Run Court. The vehicle was occupied by four (4) males. The occupants of the vehicle observed Mr. Bennaceur standing in the parking lot and they immediately began shooting at him. The occupants of the vehicle continued to shoot at Mr. Bennaceur as he ran through the parking lot towards 5580 Leigh Run Court. The suspects fled the scene in an unknown direction.

Anyone with information about this incident is asked to contact Detective Deryl Kowalski of the Columbus Police Felony Assault Unit at 614-645-4189 or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at 614-461-TIPS(8477).

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